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No. 45 Johnson Street.

Empress Not Well

Reports That Chinese Dowager Is Lying Ill at Tai Yuan Fu.

German Reinforcements From Tien Tsin Have Now Reached Pekin.

Two High Officials Will Be Beheaded and Others Severely Punished.

London, Oct. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard understands that the Chinese imperial edicts are regarded there with skepticism, and that Count von Waldersee has been instructed to resume operations.

The Times has the following from Tien Tsin, dated October 7: "Three French battalions started yesterday for Pao Ting Fu. The British are waiting for the Germans, but may start without them."

The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent, writing Sunday, says: "I hear the Chinese are concentrating at Hwang Lu pass, leading into the province of Shan Si, with the intention of opposing any attempt of the allies to pursue the imperial court."

Shanghai, Oct. 8.—The Chinese assert that the governor of Shan Tung and the Yang Tse viceroy sent a joint memorial to the Empress Dowager declaring it to be impossible to guarantee the despatch of money and provisions to Si Ngan Fu, and threatening to resign unless the court returns to Peking. It is believed that Emperor Kwang Hsu is anxious to return and that the Empress Dowager has wavered until she heard of the expedition for Pao Ting Fu. Li Hung Chang's secretary reports that foreign troops, supposed to be British, have arrived at Pao Ting Fu. It is said that Li Hung Chang has advised the Emperor to return to Peking, on the ground that the powers can stop supplies from reaching the province of Shan Si.

Pekin, Sunday, Oct. 7, via Tien Tsin, Oct. 8, and Shanghai, Oct. 9.—A response to the German demands has been transmitted by Li Hung Chang. This says that Ying Nien, president of the council; Kang Yi, assistant grand secretary and president of the civil board; and Chao Shu Chiao, president of the board of punishment, will be decapitated; and that Prince Chwang, Duke Tsai Lan, and Prince Yih will be sentenced to life imprisonment; and that Prince Tuan will be banished to the imperial military post roads on the Siberian frontier as a further punishment for aiding the Boxers.

Trustworthy Chinese reports say the Dowager Empress is ill at Tai Yuan Fu (province of Shan Si), and the free hand of the Emperor in affairs of state of late is regarded as confirmatory of these reports.

Berlin, Oct. 9.—No news from Field Marshal Count von Waldersee has been received at the foreign office since the announcement that he had taken charge. It is taken for granted that the details of organization are absorbing his attention. Nor has information been received regarding Baroness von Ketteler since she left China for Japan, but no fears are entertained as to her safety. Private despatches say the Germans occupied the palace of the Empress in Peking, and that German reinforcements, consisting of two battalions, two guns and cavalry, under Lieut.-Col. Pavel, have arrived at Peking from Tien Tsin. It was ascertained at the German foreign office to-day by the correspondent of the Associated Press that all the powers have agreed to the proposals of the second German note, with the exception of Great Britain, from whom no answer has yet been received to either the first or second note of Germany.

With reference to the statement cabled from the United States that Great Britain had acted as a mediator in effecting an understanding between Germany and the United States, a high foreign official said that nothing was officially known regarding such a service if it had been rendered, and that as a matter of fact there was no necessity whatever for a mediator. The latter statement was corroborated by the British ambassador, Mr. Frank Lascelles, and by the United States charge d'affaires, Mr. John B. Jackson.

Washington, Oct. 9.—The cabinet meeting to-day, which occupied about two and a half hours, was devoted almost exclusively to a discussion of the Chinese situation. Special consideration was given to the French note, and it is understood that a more or less definite conclusion was reached as to the nature of the reply which will be made by this government, but it has not yet been put in diplomatic form. Its purport will not be made public for the present. It developed to-day that Mr. Conger, in compliance with a suggestion from Secretary Hay, had submitted to the state department a list of ten or twelve names of Chinese officials who were prominent in the Boxer movement against the foreigners, and in a great measure were responsible for the assaults upon the legations in Peking. These officials, Mr. Conger believes, should be included with Prince Tuan and others in any punishments which are to be inflicted upon those who took a prominent part in the Peking outrages. It is not unlikely that the position of this government in regard to the punishment of these officials will be stated in reply to the French note.

In a high diplomatic quarter the suggestion was made to-day that the powers send a special envoy to Si Nan Fu, the new abode of the imperial family, with a collective note urging the return of the Emperor to Peking, and giving guarantees for the personal safety of the imperial household. Such an envoy, it was said, could accomplish more than the circuitous negotiations through Chinese officials. The suggestion was also made that Shang Shi Tung, the viceroy of one of the southern provinces, would be well qualified to execute such mission if the powers could be brought together in a collective request.

New York, Oct. 9.—The Post says an agreement exists between Germany and Russia by which Germany is to control the railroad from Peking to Yang Tsin, and Russia is to control the road from Yang Tsin to Tong Ku. The Post also denies that Germany will send an expedition to Sian Fu.

London, Oct. 10.—(3 a.m.)—From returns received at midnight it appears that the government gained two seats in yesterday's pollings in the parliamentary general elections. They are the Middleton division of Southeast Lancashire, where E. D. Fielden defeated Mr. J. Duckworth, Liberal, who represented the constituency in the late parliament; and Monmouth, where Dr. Rutherford Harris, who now enters parliament for the first time, received 4,412 votes, as against 3,720 cast for his Liberal opponent, Mr. Spicer, who represents Monmouth. Among the other noteworthy elections was that of Mr. William St. John Broderick, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, in the Guildford division of Surrey, with a majority of 2,207 over his Liberal opponent, Mr. Chapman, and that of Mr. John Ellis, Liberal, in the Rushcliffe division of Nottinghamshire. Mr. Ellis has represented Rushcliffe since 1885. The Ministerialists in fighting him made effective use of his pro-Boer letters published by Mr. Chamberlain, and the majority he secured at the general election of 1895 was reduced by 187 votes. The Liberals are holding their own in Yorkshire, and in some districts their candidates have doubled the majorities of the previous general election.

Five hundred and twenty-two new members have been officially declared elected, of whom 337 are Ministerialists and 185 belong to the opposition. The Ministerialists have gained 5 seats more than their opponents.

Considerable adverse comment, Conservative as well as Liberal, has been caused by the declaration attributed to Mr. Chamberlain in a recent speech: "A seat lost to the government is a seat sold to the Boers." Mr. Chamberlain writes to the Daily Mail this morning, repudiating the statement, and explaining that what he said was a quotation from the Mayor of Mafeking: "A seat lost to the government is a seat gained by the Boers."

The Daily Mail, commenting upon Chamberlain's communique, still insists that he went too far, in view of the fact that "quite a large number of Liberals have consistently supported the government's South African policy. The paper also declares that Mr. Chamberlain's tactics will not assist him in his struggle for the premiership, and will arouse uneasiness as to his qualifications for the foreign office."

Mr. O'Connor's defeat at the polls is regarded as a defeat for the Healyites, as Mr. Doherty represented the O'Brien-Dillon faction.

Mr. John Morley has been re-elected for Monmouth borough in the Liberal interest, receiving 3,960 votes, as against 2,390 cast for Mr. J. B. Don, his Liberal-Unionist opponent.

Mr. Chamberlain, speaking this evening at Stourbridge, said: "Great Britain's foreign policy, as I sum it up, is to remain on friendly terms with every great country in Europe, and on something more than friendly terms with the United States."

Mr. Chamberlain ridiculed the attempt of the opposition leaders to hold him up as a bogey to foreign nations. "Great Britain's foreign policy," he exclaimed, "is in the hands of Lord Salisbury, and I have not the presumption to meddle with it."

ENGAGE WITH DEWET'S COLUMN

Three Days' Fight Near Vrededorst Results in Boers Flight.

London, Oct. 10.—The Times publishes the following despatch from Vrededorst, Orange River Colony: "The British column had a three days' fight, from October 7, inclusive, with Gen. Dewet's commando, of a thousand men and five guns. It took place in a veritable sea of mountains near here. The Boers were dislodged and dispersed, and they fled demoralized. The British casualties were slight."

NANAIMO ASSIZES.

A True Bill Against the Ladysmith Telegraph Operator.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, Oct. 9.—The assize court to-day heard the evidence against Samuel Wallace, charged with incest and abortion. The jury were unable to agree to-night and were locked up till the morning.

The grand jury brought in a true bill against N. P. Dougan, the telegraph operator, charged with manslaughter for the railway accident at Ladysmith.

TURNED LOOSE.

"Skin-the-Goat" Set at Liberty Again.

Liverpool, Oct. 9.—James FitzHarris, the Phoenix Park murderer, known as "Skin-the-Goat," who was arrested here last evening for failing to report himself under the terms of his prison release license, was liberated to-day.

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British Elections

Chamberlain Ridicules Attempt to Hold Him Up as a Bogey.

Says Great Britain's Foreign Policy Is In Lord Salisbury's Hand.

Standing of Parties Not Affected by the Few Returns Yesterday.

STRIKE.

Terre Haute Electric Railway Employees Want Less Work and More Pay.

Terre Haute, Ind., Oct. 9.—No street cars are moving in this city to-day, and no electric lights or power are in service, owing to a strike of the Terre Haute electric railway employees. The men demand shorter hours and more pay.

Parliament Dissolved

At Last the Date of the Elections Have Been Made Public.

Nominations on Last Day of October, Polling a Week Later.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—To-day the announcement was made that the nominations for the Dominion will take place on October 31, and polling day will be November 7. The writs are returnable on December 5.

In British Columbia, the elections in Burrard district and in Yale-Cariboo-Kootenay will be left to the discretion of the returning officers. The returning officers appointed for British Columbia are: Victoria, J. G. Brown, of Victoria; Vancouver, C. H. Barker, Nanaimo; Burrard, Duncan C. McGregor, Vancouver; New Westminster, T. J. Armstrong, Westminster; Yale-Cariboo-Kootenay, D. J. McDonald, Kamloops.

Vancouver, Oct. 9.—Polling day in Burrard will be fixed by the returning officer at some day later than November 7, probably November 15.

Winnipeg, Oct. 9.—Premier Macdonald begins his Brandon meetings to-morrow. Both parties are well prepared for the fray. No candidates have been nominated in Winnipeg City as yet by either of the big parties.

Saskatchewan Liberals re-nominated T. O. Davis at the convention to-day.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Alberran Burns and T. D. Allan have consented to have their names before the Liberal convention for West Toronto on Thursday evening. The probable Liberal candidate for Centre Toronto is Hugh Blain.

Actonvale, Que., Oct. 9.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier opened his Quebec tour here this afternoon.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—H. A. Harper, the Ottawa correspondent of the Montreal Herald, has been appointed assistant editor of the Labour Gazette.

VERDICT OF MURDER.

Coroner's Jury Finds That Walter Gordon Killed Two Manitoba Farmers.

Winnipeg, Oct. 9.—The inquest on the bodies of Charles Daw and Jacob Smith, found in a well on Daw's farm on Sunday, was held at Whitewater, before Coroner Shaffner. About twenty witnesses were examined on account of the ingenuity displayed by the criminal in the commission of his awful deed. The following is the verdict rendered by the jury this afternoon: "That Daw came to his death by wounds inflicted in the head by a revolver in the hands of Walter Gordon, and all agree that Jacob Smith also came to his death by wounds inflicted by gunshot by the hand of Walter Gordon."

TEDDY'S TOUR.

He Meets a Warm But Friendly Reception in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 9.—The St. Louis exposition coliseum was crowded to-night in honor of Governor Roosevelt, who spoke for a little more than one hour. The Governor was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the St. Louis Club, and was escorted from the Mayor and other prominent Republicans of Missouri, a mounted regiment of rough riders and several thousand citizens in carriages or on foot.

"PROBLEM PLAY."

Mr. Charles Wyndham Opens His Season With Mrs. Dane's Defence.

London, Oct. 9.—Mr. Charles Wyndham opened his season at Wyndham's theatre, London, this evening, in a new piece entitled "Mrs. Dane's Defence," by Mr. Henry Arthur Jones. The drama is a "problem play," with a rather obscure solution in which the eternal law that suffering must follow sin works itself out in Mrs. Dane's case, as it has done since the days of Mary-Magdalene.

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fice, but insertion cannot be guaranteed.
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sult the Night Editor.

AN EXHIBITION.

The meeting held in the City Hall last
night to take preliminary steps towards
holding an agricultural, industrial and
mineral exhibition in this city next year,
was well attended and in every respect
satisfactory. A strong committee was ap-
pointed, and the active work of organiza-
tion begun at an early day.

It is intended to make the scope of the
exhibition as wide as possible, so as to
create general interest in it. The uni-
animity of sentiment was very creditable,
and the promoters of the project are
much to be congratulated upon the aus-
picious beginning.

THE ELECTIONS.

Nominations for the House of Com-
mons will take place on October 31, and
polling day will be November 7. The
time is no longer than is absolutely ne-
cessary, but we make no complaint on
that score. No one has been taken by
surprise. Doubtless it is best to have
the whole business over at the earliest
possible day.

The Colonist has argued against an ap-
peal to the people before another census
had been taken. Under normal con-
ditions a house elected this fall will stand
until 1905, although under the provisions
of the British North America Act there
must be a redistribution of representa-
tion not later than 1902, that is, at the
session following the decennial census.
Under the phraseology of this act, redi-
stribution is obligatory, and this being the
case, it logically follows that immediately
after such redistribution there ought to be
a dissolution, for to continue in exis-
tence a parliament which is not repre-
sentative of the people is contrary to the
spirit of the law. It is clear that when the
redistribution takes place British Colum-
bia will be entitled to more representa-
tives than it now has. Hence to hold an
election this year is an act of injustice to
the province, which should be protested
against by the people when they go to the
polls.

No satisfactory reason has been given
why the house should be dissolved before
the census can be taken and a redistri-
bution bill passed. The census could be
taken early next year, for there is no law
requiring it to be postponed until sum-
mer, and a redistribution bill could have
been passed in time to permit a dissolu-
tion, an election and the meeting of a
new house before the close of the fiscal
year. This course has not been taken.
We do not suggest that the changes
which a redistribution would cause
would materially affect the relative
strength of parties. We do not suppose
it would have any such effect. This is
not the point in issue, which is that the
West will be deprived of its just due by
the holding of an election now.

We do not pretend to know why the
government have dissolved the house at
this time, except it is that they believe
delay would be dangerous to their
chances of being sustained. Canada has
been enjoying a large measure of pros-
perity, and it is unreasonable to think
that the flood tide will continue indefi-
nitely. Already in other parts of the
world signs of the ebb are visible. No
government wants to have an election
when times are getting hard, and there is
a probability that next year it would not
be possible for Sir Wilfrid Laurier to
claim that prosperity and a Liberal re-
gime had anything in common. But
whatever the specific reason for the dis-
solution may have been, there can be no
doubt as to its object, which is to se-
cure for the present cabinet a new lease
of power. Therefore, if the people of
British Columbia believe that the treat-
ment accorded to this province by the
Laurier government is in keeping with the
reasonable claims of British Colum-
bia upon the Dominion, they will have an
opportunity to say so. If, on the con-
trary, they believe, as they surely must,
that the treatment accorded to us is not
what a province contributing so much per

capita to the federal revenue has a right
to expect, if they believe, as they surely
must, that the Laurier policy has not
recognized the importance of the Pacific
Coast, it is their bounden duty to give
expression to their views at the polls, by
electing Conservative candidates.

CLEAN POLITICS.

"The majority of men on both sides
would prefer clean methods," says the
Toronto Globe in reference to a demand
from the St. John Globe that bribery
and personation shall be stamped out
without mercy. So say we all of us. A
popular verdict gained through fraud and
corruption is a regrettable thing. But
the fault does not lie wholly with the
politicians by any means. It is true that,
even on the low ground of personal con-
venience, they would almost to a man
prefer that elections should be run on
principles, and that only legitimate
methods of convincing voters should be
adopted on either side. The fault is with
the people themselves. If voters were
not willing to be bought, no one would
think of buying them. No one would
resort to fraudulent methods if he felt
sure that his opponents would be honest
and that the people would not connive
at the rascality, if only it was carried
out with sufficient cleverness to escape
detection. The franchise is an impor-
tant privilege, and the man who sells it
to the highest bidder is not deserving of
it. He is worse than the man who buys
his vote, for the latter may honestly
mean to act rightly, if he is elected, while
the man who sells a vote simply
sacrifices his citizenship for purposes
that he cannot possibly understand. He
becomes a tool. The practice of buying
votes makes the whole political system
corrupt. As a rule, what the politicians
spend in this way they manage to get
back out of the public treasury.

We have a suggestion to make to the
city clergy, namely, that they all should
take occasion at least once during the
brief political campaign now upon us, to
point out to the members of their re-
spective congregations the duty incumbent
upon every voter to exercise his
franchise honestly, and not to listen to
canvassers who offer corrupt influences.
We do not know that they will be able
to reach the whole community, and it is
to be presumed that the church-goers are
not the men who sell their votes. But
words spoken from the pulpit are heard
outside of the churches, and do good. It
is desirable to elevate the standard of
politics, and the present election is a
good time to begin.

With some experience in other parts
of Canada, we feel able to say that an
election in Victoria is comparatively free
from acts of personal corruption. Con-
siderable money is spent here at elec-
tions, and we believe that most of it is
wasted, but only a very small proportion
of it goes for direct acts of corruption.
Nevertheless, the standard of elections
here can be elevated, and there ought to
be an effort on the part of all agencies
that work for the betterment of man-
kind to promote cleaner contests.

ARION CLUB.

From a circular recently issued by this
club, announcing the opening of its ninth
season, we notice that the committee
evidently do not believe in resting con-
tent with the measure of success already
obtained, although this must be consid-
ered quite exceptional, in view of the
long existence of the club and the un-
diminished popularity of its concerts
under the leadership of its new con-
ductor, Mr. E. H. Russell.

The committee have, however, under
consideration an enlargement of the
scope of the club concerts, by the engage-
ment of professional soloists, which must
necessarily add to the attractiveness of
its programmes.
A tentative movement in this direction
was made last season, and every one
who was fortunate enough to be present
at the concerts at which Miss Helen
Grace Bradley—a leading soprano of the
Sound cities—sang, will remember the
great enjoyment afforded and the un-
qualified success of the experiment. We
therefore consider that the committee, in
desiring to avail themselves of profes-
sional assistance at every concert, are
conferring a boon upon the musical
people of Victoria, besides studying the
best interests of their club.

We have often had to deplore—and no
doubt others, too—the lack of support
that has been given to many excellent
artists who have ventured to give con-
certs in this city, with the result of
having to sing or play mostly to empty
chairs; and we think musical people
generally will gladly avail themselves of
the opportunity now afforded of becom-
ing acquainted, at so little trouble and
expense, with competent exponents of
musical art, under the auspices of the
Arion Club.
No doubt the extent to which the club
will be able to avail itself of professional
services will largely depend upon the
amount of additional support received; and
we trust that in the interests of
music and of its devotees in this city, a
ready and liberal response will be made
to the invitation of the committee, so as
to enable them to fully carry out their
object.

The committee point out in their circular
that they are not unmindful of the
support that has been accorded in the
past, which has enabled them to main-
tain the membership roll at almost a
fixed number; but as no increase in the
terms of subscription is proposed, an ex-
tension of the number of its associate
members is necessary to enable them to
put their plans in operation. The terms
of subscription are stated to be \$2.50
for one ticket, \$4 for two tickets, \$5 for
three tickets, and \$6 for four tickets,
respectively, available for each of the three
concerts to be given during the season;
and applications for membership or for
further information should be addressed

to The Secretary, Arion Club, Victoria,
B. C.

As the object of the committee is a
very laudable one, and Victorians are
already considerably indebted to this
club for the musical treats it has pro-
vided during so many years, we have
little doubt that the ambition of its mem-
bers to still further raise the standard of
its concerts will meet with liberal en-
couragement.

The Colonist echoes the wish of the
Times that the campaign may be clean.
The Grand Trunk shareholders were at
their last meeting treated to an exhibi-
tion not down on the programme.

The New Jersey anarchists say that
their policy is the abolition of all gov-
ernment. This is likewise the view of
many people in insane asylums.

The disbanding of the militia re-
giments indicates that, in the opinion of the
government, the Empire may proceed to
get itself down to a peace basis. This
is especially interesting in view of con-
ditions in China. It means that no serious
trouble is anticipated there.

We note that the Yale-Carillon and
Burrard elections will be held on a date
to be fixed by the returning officer. This
is imperative, because of the short time
between nomination and polling. The
fact that some elections must be held
after the others is the chief, and we may
say the only, objection to the shortness
of the notice.

The Times thinks that a sufficient
answer to the claim that the Laurier gov-
ernment has neglected British Columbia
is to point out that the Senate rejected
the Mackenzie-Mann railway contract.
Does the Times wish it to be under-
stood that this was the only thing that
could be done for British Columbia? If
so, its views are very narrow. Or are
we to understand that because the Senate
would not agree to this contract, the
government was justified in withholding
its hand on every thing else?

Dr. Col. Gregory was receiving the con-
gratulations of his friends yesterday on
the appointment of his father to the
Supreme Court of New Brunswick. There
have been few recent judicial appoint-
ments in Canada which have commanded
as much approval as that of Mr. Justice
Gregory. He is a lawyer of great at-
tainments and ability, and one whose ex-
perience at the bar has been long and
varied. At one time the bench of New
Brunswick occupied a conspicuous position
by reason of the ability of its in-
cumbents. The new appointee will main-
tain its best traditions in this respect.

The decision of Mr. John Bryden not
to contest the Vancouver district in the
Conservative interest will be learned
with general regret. The Colonist under-
stood Mr. Bryden to have decided some
time ago not to again enter the political
arena. His action in regard to the Con-
servative nomination may be taken as
his final withdrawal from public life, and
it is timely to say of him that of all the
men who have held representative posi-
tions in British Columbia, none have won
a more deserved reputation for sterling
integrity and manly straightforwardness
than he. A man of sound, common sense
and ripe experience, his views on mat-
ters of legislation were highly prized by
his colleagues in the legislature, who
always felt sure that he was influenced
by honest motives and never by per-
sonal considerations.

PRESS COMMENT.

THE MOTIVE.

From Hamilton Spectator.

We have received the first number of a
new publication called the Labor Gazette,
published at Ottawa by the Tarte & Co. The
object of the new paper is to make work-
ingmen believe that the Tarte government
is their friend. It is ably edited by several
accomplished politicians.

LIBERAL CONDOLENCE.

From News-Advertiser.

It is fortunate for our neighbors in New
Westminster that Mr. Garden did not ac-
cept the Conservative nomination for Bur-
rard district until the closing hours of the
exhibition in the Royal City. Otherwise
the comfort and enjoyment of the visitors
to New Westminster would have been sadly
marred by the bursting forth of the Liberal
foundations induced by the shock of Mr.
Garden's acceptance of the nomination.
It is, indeed, a touching spectacle these
years of sympathy with Mr. Garden which
Liberal organs are showing. Just now,
why does Mr. Garden blast the high hopes
which Grit journalists had formed for his
political future? Why does he take a step
which upsets all the Grit plans and will
bring disaster and confusion to their
schemes? Does he not realize that if he
seeks their approval he must not enter the
field of federal politics? The articles which
are appearing now lamenting Mr. Garden's
action, show very clearly that the writers
are in his candidature the defeat of Mr.
Maxwell. Fine line technique!

MINERS' MEETING.

Sir: I am not acquainted with your Na-
tional reporter, but from his style of writ-
ing I should judge him to be an ardent
disciple of Rider Haggard, as his report
of the two meetings which took place here
on last Saturday remind one strongly of
that writer's style. I will not refer to his
description of the political meeting, al-
though I am sure that I could not correct
most object to the report of the miners'
meeting held here on Saturday afternoon,
as it is not only incorrect, but unjust to
those who took part in it. In the first place
your correspondent says that Mr. Thomas
Keith and Mr. Tully Boyce were present
and took part in the meeting, and goes on
to say that some violent strife speeches
were made. Both of these assertions are
untrue. The miners' union is composed ex-
clusively of underground workers. Neither
of the gentlemen named is employed under-
ground. At present they are not members
of the union, therefore took no part in the
deliberations of that body. In order to
give your readers a fair idea of the unreli-
ability of your reporter's version of that
meeting, I may say that the question of a
strike was discussed at that meeting.
As a matter of fact all the speeches de-
livered were made in an entirely different
spirit and met with the approval of all
present.
H. CARROLL.

BUYING VOTES.

From M. and Emble.

Mr. Flea, who spoke at Halifax two weeks
ago, he said:
I appeal to the old Liberals and the old
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administration. Give us two Liberals to
represent Halifax, and I repeat that every-
thing that is fair and reasonable and just
that the city and county of Halifax wants,
must and will be granted.

Then he went to Montreal and said:
"If there be one part of this Dominion
that should be loyal to Sir Wilfrid Laurier
it is the great city of Montreal. They say
that 'all roads lead to Rome.' I venture to
say that nearly all the large appropriations
made by the Laurier government for national
works have gone for the building up of
this great city on the banks of the St. Law-
rence."

Mr. Blair followed in Queen's county, N.
B., where he thus advocated the election of
Mr. Farris to the local legislature. In op-
position to Mr. Hetherington:
"Mr. Farris, after serving in the govern-
ment without a department for several
years, has now become the minister of ac-
cruities. He has it in his power as a
departmental officer and member of the ex-
ecutive to obtain for his native county
many favors from the government. No
man who knows Mr. Hetherington expects
him to do any good work for the County
of Queen's. If Queen's county should send
him to the legislature, he would simply be
rewarded and sat upon."

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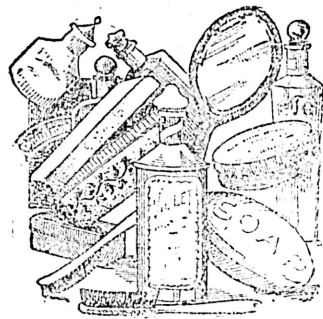
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FIFTH REGIMENT.

Matters of Interest to Militiamen—Saturday Evening Band Concerts.

A regimental order issued by Lieut. Col. Gregory, commanding the Fifth Regiment, contains the following information:

Lieut. Pooley having reported for duty, resumes the duties of adjutant.
Major Wynne, the officer commanding the R. G. A. at Esquimalt, will deliver a lecture on "Artillery Practice" on Friday, the 12th instant, at 9 p.m., in the gunners' room. All ranks will attend. Dress—Drill order, without side-arms.
Officers commanding companies who are entitled to issues of belts, kit-bags, etc., on account of equipment taken to the Transvaal, will furnish the quartermaster with a memo. of the missing numbers, when the same will be replaced.

The Saturday evening band concerts at the Drill hall will be resumed commencing Saturday, the 13th instant.

Harvest Celebration.—The harvest tea meeting held at the Centennial Methodist church last night attracted quite a crowd, despite the unpromising weather. A short musical programme was given, to which Mr. Gideon Hicks, leader of the Metropolitan church choir, and Miss Lillian L. Aranson contributed.

Committed for Trial.—The Tees brought news that the four men who have been arrested for the mail robbery at Port Essington, Louis Edgar, Walter Jones, Walter Noel and another, were brought before W. R. Lord, J.P., at Port Essington, and committed for trial. They will be brought down to Nanaimo for trial. The four young men were at a dance held at Port Essington on the night of the robbery, and afterwards went down the coast. When the suspicion of the crime was thrown on them by the circulation of the stolen cheques, the tug Chieftain, with John Flewin on board, went working to Nanaimo for trial. The four young men were at a dance held at Port Essington on the night of the robbery, and afterwards went down the coast. When the suspicion of the crime was thrown on them by the circulation of the stolen cheques, the tug Chieftain, with John Flewin on board, went working to Nanaimo for trial.

Telegraph Builders.—According to advices brought from the telegraph construction party, which has reached Grand Hog mountain from Hazelton, B.C., the weather was very severe in the interior. Other arrivals on the Tees from the Skeena say that they, too, heard the story of the overlapping of the telegraph construction parties, and one says that one of those working in one of the parties told him that they were at least 175 miles apart. He said that it had been determined to have runners in service between the two ends of the wire in order to give communication.

This Evening's Entertainment.—What can be called the laughing event of the present season, if what has been said of the play by the dramatic critics throughout the province is to be believed, is "A Wise Guy," which is to be presented at the Victoria theatre to-night. "A Wise Guy" scored more heavily in the Eastern country last season than any other farce that has been presented in that section for many years. It is simply a vehicle for the production of laughter, the leading character being one "Spike Hennessy," who is by profession a mover of pianos. Circumstances lead him to allow a wealthy young woman to pass him off as her father, and then the fun begins. The heiress leads him a merry chase, but in the end she marries him. It is the intention of the management to put "A Wise Guy" on as well as it is possible, and to this end they have engaged as good a company of fun-makers as has ever left New York city. Some of the best names in the profession are among the members. In addition there are a number of new and clever specialties introduced, and there is a large and effective chorus, in which pretty women are said to predominate.

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AUCTION SALES.—All Advertisements for Auction Sales will be found on Page 8.

Granted a Divorce.—Mrs. E. Petherick, of this city, has been granted a divorce by the Seattle courts.

Farnsworth-Nail.—In the parlors of the Hotel Victoria yesterday morning, Rev. E. S. Rowe united in marriage A. V. Farnsworth and Miss F. Nail, of Tacoma.

The Pumping Station.—It is anticipated that the machinery at the new pumping station at the North Dairy Farm will be given a trial test in about two weeks.

Aldermen Photographed.—A group photograph was yesterday taken by Savannah of His Worship Mayor Hayward and the members of the board of aldermen. The photograph will be reproduced in the board of trade report.

Appointed Inspector.—Ex-Alderman Humphreys has been appointed to the position of inspector of the work of constructing the new rifle range at Clover Point, which will shortly be undertaken by Contractor Robert Dinsdale.

Change of Schedule.—On Saturday next a new time-table will go into effect on the E. & N. railway. Excursion rates will, as usual, be in effect on Saturdays and Sundays. Trains will leave Victoria daily at 9 a.m., but on Saturdays and Sundays the afternoon trains will leave at 3:10 p.m., instead of 2 p.m.

Lots of Work.—Secretary Elworthy of the board of trade has received a letter from Lake Bennett to the effect that there is a great scarcity of carpenters and caulkers at that point. Carpenters are being paid \$80 cents an hour, and caulkers from \$1 to \$1.25 an hour, but even at these figures not sufficient men can be obtained to do the work offered.

Harvest Thanksgiving.—The annual harvest thanksgiving services will take place in St. Luke's, Cedar Hill, to-morrow at 3:30. The preacher will be Rev. W. D. Barber. After the service refreshments will be served in the rectory garden by the ladies of the congregation. The service will be repeated on Sunday evening, when the sermon will be delivered by the Bishop of Columbia.

Seamen's Institute.—The manager of the Seamen's Institute gratefully acknowledges the donation of reading matter during the month of September from the following: Bishop of Columbia, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. F. C. Malpas, Mrs. H. D. Helmecken, Mrs. George Gillespie, Mr. H. Burnett, Mr. J. H. Sweet, Miss Goward, floral decorations; Times and Colonist, daily papers; and one anonymous donor.

Hospital Board.—Friday evening's meeting of the board of directors of the Jubilee hospital promises to be full of interest. There are a number of important questions to be dealt with, notably the doctor's salary, re-organization of the nursing staff, and providing accommodation for the members of secret societies. There are a number of propositions to be submitted in connection with the latter question, prominent among which is one to erect a separate ward, for which the societies will raise funds by means of entertainments.

The Police Court.—In the police court yesterday, J. B. Green and H. B. Conrad, two members of the Fifth Regiment, were charged with an infraction of the Militia Act, having absented themselves from attendance in camp during the mobilization manoeuvres on Labor Day. Green was convicted and fined \$5 or five days' imprisonment.

Conrad is a member of the R. C. R. stationed at Hospital Point, and claims exemption from duty with the Fifth Regiment, inasmuch as he served with his battalion during the manoeuvres. His case was remanded until Tuesday. A common drunk was fined \$2.50 or five days' imprisonment.

Just arrived, a very large consignment of the latest designs in Monuments, at Stewart's, corner of Yates and Blanchard streets.

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It is easy to say a thing is good - another matter to prove it. Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea with stand Every Fest.

The Deadly Mosquito Bite

Apparently He Causes Malaria Sickness by Poisoning His Victims.

Experimenters Keep Healthy in Campagna When He Cannot Attack Them.

In the British Medical Journal of May 12th, 1900, page 1187, it was announced that an experiment was to be made under the auspices of the Colonial office to test the truth of the mosquito theory of malaria by a practical application of it under conditions such as dwellers in malarious regions have actually to face. Dr. Luigi Sambon and Dr. G. C. Low, both connected with the London School of Tropical Medicine, volunteered to live from June till October, that is to say, through what may be called the height of the malaria season, in a part of the Campagna near Ostia which is so infested by the disease that no one who spends a night there under ordinary circumstances escapes the effect of the poison. Dr. Sambon, Dr. Low, Signor Terzi, and their servants, have now exposed themselves to the pestilential influence of this valley of the shadow of death for over two months. They live in a mosquito-proof house which was described and figured in the Journal of May 12th. They take no quinine or other drug which might be regarded as prophylactic. Not one of the experimenting party has shown the least sign of infection. We are able to make this statement on the basis of authority, and we consider it right to give it the fullest publicity, as we understand that a rumour is being industriously circulated in Italy that the experiment has proved a failure. So positive indeed have been the rumours of this effect that we thought it our duty to make inquiries on the subject at the London School of Tropical Medicine. In reply the original of the telegram, of which the following is a copy, was shown to us:

Roma, 13 Sept. at 6:25 a.m., recd. 7:51. To: Manson. Placently London.

Assembled in British mosquito proof hut having verified (verified) the mosquito theory of malaria, I salute Manson who first formulated mosquito malarial theory.

The testimony of Professor Grassi disposed in the most satisfactory manner of the sinister rumour to which allusion was made.

The wisdom of our forefathers has warned us not to halloo before we are out of the wood, and the same maxim of proverbial philosophy may be taken as applying with special force to a malarial swamp. The experiment has still some six weeks to run before the object lesson which it is meant to enforce can be regarded as fully completed. The omens, however, seem to be propitious, and we may now, with as much confidence as the uncertainty of human things warrant, look forward to a successful completion of this important experiment. Satisfactory as such a consummation will be from a scientific point of view, it will also be a matter for gratification that the men who have in the cause of humanity deliberately exposed themselves to a most serious risk have not had to suffer for the scientific faith that is in them.

What for practical purposes may be regarded as an experiment of the same kind is being conducted in West Africa. Dr. Elliot, a member of the Liverpool expedition, sent to Nigeria some time ago to investigate the subject of malarial fever, has recently returned to this country. He reports that the members of the expedition have been perfectly well, although they have spent four months in some of the most malarious spots. They lived practically amidst marshes and other places hitherto

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supposed to be most deadly. They have taken the fever off by the use of quinine, and they attribute their immunity to the careful use of the mosquito nets at night.

It may be remembered that as a complement to the preventive experiments at the Campagna, it was arranged that at least one should be made to produce malaria in healthy persons in this country by causing them to be bitten by mosquitoes carrying the germ of the disease. We are informed that this experiment has also been successful. A consignment of the mosquitoes which had been fed on the blood of sufferers from malaria in Rome, under the direction of Prof. Bastianelli, was received in London early in July. A son of Dr. Manson, who offered himself as a subject for experiment, allowed himself to be bitten by these insects, and again at the end of August. On the first of these occasions the bites apparently proved harmless, and a third experiment was made last week, but the positive result which has now been reached is probably due to the mosquitoes which bit him in August.

Dr. Manson's son, who has never been in a malarious country since he was a child, is now suffering from well-marked malarial infection of double tertian type, and microscopical examination shows the presence of numerous parasites in his blood. The genuineness of the experiment and the accuracy of the observations can be vouched for by several competent and independent witnesses. The mosquitoes, as already said, were fed under the superintendence of Prof. Bastianelli, and were sent by Dr. Sambon to the London School of Tropical Medicine, where they were placed in a warm chamber with all the precautions necessary to keep them in a vigorous state of vitality. They thrived well, fed greedily, and deposited their ova. Full details of the experiments will, we understand, be published in due course.

A similar experiment is said to be in progress in New York. Mosquitoes fed on a patient suffering from malaria, now in the Bellevue hospital, were allowed to bite a healthy young man, who of his own free will submitted himself to the experiment. Six days later the young man began to show signs of malarial infection. The malaria problem is not yet entirely solved, but these experiments certainly afford very strong confirmation of the theory that makes mosquitoes chiefly responsible for the conveyance of the poison to man. It is clear that if the mosquito, as the "mosquito" no malaria" does not contain the whole truth of the matter, it may for practical purposes be taken as a guiding principle by colonists and pioneers in tropical climes. This country with its vast and ever-growing imperial interests, has the best reason to be grateful to the London School of Tropical Medicine and the other scientific workers who have spent themselves in the endeavor to track to its lair the insignificant-looking enemy which more formidable than legendary dragons, guards the golden apples of our colonial Hesperides, dealing death to those who seek to gather them. The thanks of the nation are also due to Mr. Chamberlain who, with an intelligent appreciation of the results of scientific research, too rare in ministers of the British Crown, has given the work every encouragement in his power.

REGIMENTAL NICK-NAMES.

How Some of the British Troops Got Them.

From Notes and Queries. "The 'Horse Marines.' Seventeenth Lancers, were so called from the playfulness of the troops of the regiment as marines very many years ago on board the Hermione frigate during fighting in the West Indies.

"The 'Immortals.' The Seventy-seventh Foot, were so called because so many were wounded, but not killed, in Hindustan 1788-1809.

"Sir William Waller received from London a fresh supply of 500 horse, under the command of Sir Arthur Hasleig, which were so completely armed that they were called by the King's party 'the regiment of lobsters,' because of their bright iron shells, with which they were covered, being perfect cuirassiers, and were the first seen so armed on either side."—Clarendon's "History of the Rebellion."

"The 'Moke Train,' a name once given to the Army Service Corps, a nickname applied, not only to the new-comer in the army, but to a young, unpractised officer in the army, and more generally to any raw, inexperienced recruit.

"A comes of taking folk on the right side, I trow," quoth King to the king, "and I had a name the ill-hat to say he was but a Johnny Newcome in our town, and the earle bore the family an ill-will ever since."—Scott.

WITCH DOCTORS.

Superstitious Indian Practice Still in Vogue in Cassiar District.

There were several arrivals from Hazelton on the Tees, and from one of these it was learned that the Indian witch doctors are by no means out of the business at Hazelton. Just before they left, the women of the village had fallen sick and witch doctors had been called in. One patient was a boy with hip disease, and the other a buck with consumption. The boy recovered, but the consumptive died as a result of the "doctoring." The method adopted is for a number of old women to sit in a group around the patient—in the case seen by the recent arrival there were eight—and in the ring the witch doctor, or hamatsu, dances around. He shakes and trembles as though with ague, and chants all the time. He dances until he finally vomits with exhaustion, the women meanwhile beating tom-toms. With the awful noise the passenger says it was little to be wondered at that one of the victims died. Mr. Loring, the Indian agent there, said that efforts to stop the practice were unavailing. The Indians were, though, in these days not allowed to gash themselves as they did aforetime. If any whiskey came into their hands, though, there was danger of their working themselves up into such a state of excitement that there was danger of the witch doctors and others running amuck.

Finance and Commerce

ON WALL STREET. New York, Oct. 9.—The attention of the financial and speculative world remained fixed to-day on the problems of international money market. All the world's great money centres were kept under careful scrutiny to detect developments which might throw light upon the outcome of the contest now inaugurated, for the possession of the available money supply. The engagement of \$50,000 in gold and its withdrawal from the Bank of England for shipment to New York marked the beginning of the contest and confirmed yesterday's estimates that sterling exchange at New York had fallen within the margin of profit for gold imports.

Speculative action was considerably paralysed pending the solution of the money market perplexities and the movement of prices was narrow and unimportant. There was a notable movement in the iron and steel group, pretty much all the members of the group coming into the movement as the day progressed with advances of from one to two cents. The movement was due to the announcement of the engagement of gold in Paris served to overcome some of the early depressions. Strength in the local market group was also a factor. But the market closed dull and irregular with few changes of importance. The movement in the bond market was narrow and irregular. Total sales, for value, \$8,000,000.

United States refunding 2's and 3's registered and the new 4's declined 1/4 per cent. in the last call.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Oct. 9.—The closing quotations to-day were as follows:

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|---------------------------|---------|
| Amalgamated Sugar | 117 |
| Amalgamated Co. | 117 |
| A. T. & S. P. | 28 1/2 |
| A. T. & S. P. pfd. | 33 1/2 |
| A. T. & S. W. | 33 1/2 |
| Burlington & Ohio | 71 1/2 |
| Burlington & Ohio pfd. | 78 1/2 |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 52 1/2 |
| Canadian Pacific | 80 1/2 |
| C. & O. | 28 1/2 |
| Chicago Gas | 10 1/2 |
| Chicago Gas pfd. | 10 1/2 |
| C. R. I. & P. | 105 1/2 |
| C. M. & St. P. | 112 1/2 |
| Consolidated Tobacco | 22 1/2 |
| Consolidated Tobacco pfd. | 22 1/2 |
| C. P. & L. | 39 1/2 |
| C. P. & St. L. | 42 1/2 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 100 1/2 |
| D. & R. G. pfd. | 67 1/2 |
| Federal Steel | 31 1/2 |
| Illinois Central | 110 1/2 |
| Jersey Central | 13 1/2 |
| K. T. pfd. | 27 1/2 |
| L. & N. | 71 1/2 |
| Metropolitan | 91 1/2 |
| Missouri Pacific | 104 1/2 |
| Metropolitan Traction | 148 1/2 |
| Northern Pacific | 48 1/2 |
| Northern Pacific pfd. | 52 1/2 |
| N. Y. & C. H. | 128 1/2 |
| N. Y. O. & W. | 20 1/2 |
| Pacific Mail | 31 1/2 |
| Reading | 16 1/2 |
| Southern Railway | 52 1/2 |
| Texas Pacific | 32 1/2 |
| U. S. Leather | 10 1/2 |
| U. S. Leather pfd. | 10 1/2 |
| Union Pacific | 58 1/2 |
| Union Pacific pfd. | 58 1/2 |
| Wabash | 17 1/2 |
| Western Union | 78 1/2 |
| C. P. R. in London | 108 1/2 |

Money on call firm at 3 1/2 per cent; last loan 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm. Time easy, at 4 1/2 per cent. for demand, and at 4 1/2 per cent. for 60 days. Posted rates \$1.81, and \$1.82, Commercial bills \$1.79, \$1.80, Bar silver 63 1/2, Mexican dollars 50 1/2. Government bonds weak.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, Oct. 9.—The leading futures closed as follows:

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| Wheat—No. 2 Oct. 75 1/2; Nov. 70 1/2; Dec. 67 1/2. |
| Corn—No. 2 Oct. 40 1/2; Nov. 38 1/2; Dec. 36 1/2. |
| Barley—No. 2 Oct. 22 1/2; Nov. 21 1/2; Dec. 20 1/2. |

THE METAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 9.—Pig iron easy; northern 14 1/2; southern 15 1/2. Copper dull; broken 15 1/2; exchange 16 1/2. Lead 10 1/2; broken 4 1/2; exchange 4 1/2. Tin weak; Straits 28 1/2; 28 1/2. Market dull. Spelter dull; domestic 4 1/2; 4 1/2.

TORONTO MINING QUOTATIONS.

(Published by A. W. More & Co.)

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Closing quotations to-day were as follows:

| Asked. | Bid. |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Albion | 8 00 |
| Big Three | 3 1/2 |
| Black Tail | 1 1/2 |
| Brandon and Golden Crown | 10 6 |
| Butte | 2 1/2 |
| Canadian P. | 3 1/2 |
| Cariboo | 81 1/2 |
| Cariboo Hydraulic | 1 1/2 |
| Croft | 1 1/2 |
| Croft's Nest | 43 00 |
| California | 9 1/2 |
| Deer Trail | 2 1/2 |
| Evening Star | 2 1/2 |
| Fairview | 3 1/2 |
| Golden Star | 2 1/2 |
| Giant | 3 1/2 |
| Hammill | 2 1/2 |
| Iron Mask | 28 1/2 |
| Jim Blaine | 10 1/2 |
| King | 6 1/2 |
| Long Pine | 10 1/2 |
| Monte Christo | 3 1/2 |
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| Montreal and London | 1 1/2 |
| Morning Glory | 8 1/2 |
| Morrison | 53 1/2 |
| Noble Five | 2 1/2 |
| North Star | 94 1/2 |
| Old Ironsides | 70 1/2 |
| Olive | 18 1/2 |
| Payne | 96 1/2 |
| Princess Maud | 4 1/2 |
| Rambler | 27 1/2 |
| Republie | 70 1/2 |
| Sloven | 13 1/2 |
| Virtue | 50 1/2 |
| War Eagle | 1 1/2 |
| White Bear | 3 1/2 |
| Whitney | 5 1/2 |

FORENOON SALES.

C. G. F. S.—500 at 3 1/2; 800 at 3 1/2. Butte and Boston—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Deer Trail—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Golden Star—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Hammill—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Van Ande—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Centre Star—500 at 1 1/2. Deer Trail—500 at 2 1/2. Golden Star—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Van Ande—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Victory Triumph—500 at 1 1/2. Virtue—500 at 4 1/2. Hammill—500 at 2 1/2; 500 at 2 1/2. Giant—500 at 3 1/2.

DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(Published by B. Williams & Co.)

New York, Oct. 9.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange to-day:

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| Texas Pacific | 32 1/2 | 32 1/2 | 32 1/2 |
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| U. S. Leather pfd. | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 | 10 1/2 |
| Union Pacific | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 |
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| Wabash | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| Western Union | 78 1/2 | 78 1/2 | 78 1/2 |

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IMPERIALISM.

An American Points Out the Benefits of Freedom of British Rule.

A writer in the New York Times takes New Zealand for a text on imperialism, and discourses thus:

The islands of New Zealand were discovered in 1642. Capt. Cook visited them in 1772, and in 1839 did what was the first step toward formal possession.

A bloody war with the natives lasted from 1843 to 1869; 100,000 of the most ferocious cannibals formerly infested the islands. Now there are in their place 50,000 civilized Maoris and 650,000 Europeans and Americans. The area of the islands is 34,032 square miles, interspersed with 2,200 miles of railroads; \$175,000,000 has been spent on public improvements; the crown appoints the governor, but the people elect their own representatives, and are free from all poll and income taxes. The area of the islands is 34,032 square miles, interspersed with 2,200 miles of railroads; \$175,000,000 has been spent on public improvements; the crown appoints the governor, but the people elect their own representatives, and are free from all poll and income taxes. The area of the islands is 34,032 square miles, interspersed with 2,200 miles of railroads; \$175,000,000 has been spent on public improvements; the crown appoints the governor, but the people elect their own representatives, and are free from all poll and income taxes.

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INDIA'S GIBRALTAR

(From Daily Mail.)

The deposition of the Maharajah of Bharatpur for misgovernment recalls to mind two of the most remarkable episodes of Indian history. A fortress of wonderful natural strength, Bharatpur has the proud distinction of having withstood the fiercest assaults of Lord Lake, the able colleague of Sir Arthur Wellesley, at the height of his victorious career.

Ranjit Singh, Maharajah of Bharatpur, was one of the first princes of India to enter into an alliance with the British government. In the Maharatta war of 1803 against Scindia a Bharatpur contingent helped Lord Lake to gain the victory of Laswari; but when, the following year, war broke out also with Holkar, the Bharatpur troops withdrew from the alliance, and even gave shelter to the shattered forces of Holkar beneath the walls of Deeg.

Lord Lake forthwith attacked Deeg and carried it by assault. Then he laid siege to Bharatpur itself. The town was surrounded by a mud wall of great height and thickness, and defended by numerous bastions. The garrison was estimated at 8,000 men; Lord Lake's force at 12,000.

Being deficient in heavy artillery, the besiegers made little impression on the massive earthworks. At last, after losing more than a third of his army, Lord Lake gave up the siege. The failure of the attack under a general second to none in Indian reputation gave the fortress a unique importance in popular estimation. The prestige of the British government was at stake. A hundred victories elsewhere were discounted by this one defeat. Men talked of its being but a matter of time, and whispered mysteriously of a divine mandate that had endowed the citadel with perpetual impregnability.

PIONEER

In 1825 the reigning Maharajah died, and the succession was disputed by two cousins, each of whom was imprisoned and placed himself on the throne. There was the opportunity the British government was long awaiting. A magnificent army was despatched under Lord Combermere to rescue the captive.

The besieging force under this general was 25,000 men; but the chief difference between this and the former siege was in the number and quality of the artillery. Whereas Lord Lake's siege-train consisted of only fourteen guns, his successor had 112, all of the finest pattern then invented, some of which were mortars and howitzers throwing eight-inch shells, and others throwing 10-inch shells. These were forty field-guns and ten 5 1/2-inch field-howitzers.

The investment commenced on December 10, 1825. The garrison, consisting of 8,000 regulars gave no sign of life. When the besieging forces were taking up the several batteries, the British general, seeing the fort guns had fired on them at long range, but, doing little damage and fearing to waste ammunition, they had sunk into sullen silence.

So splendid a corps of engineers Lord Combermere had brought with him that the parallels were finished and the investment completed by December 21. Desiring to save the women and children in the town from the horrors of a siege, he sent a message offering them a free passage. No answer was given to this offer.

By December 24 every exit was closed, and all the 112 siege-guns placed in advanced position, some of them within 250 yards of the wall. On that day the bombardment commenced. So terrible a shower of shells and round-shot was poured into the town and fort that many of the defenders' guns—all of a comparatively feeble range—were overwhelmed and destroyed.

On the night of December 26 the garrison made a sortie, captured the most advanced battery, were driven back by reinforcements, charged and captured it again, and once more were repulsed. The next day, as if in one last desperate effort, all the surviving fort guns opened fire with great precision, but did little execution. Their range was too small, and the British batteries too well masked.

In reply, the besiegers' guns opened the final bombardment from a distance of scarcely 200 yards. The salvos were magnificent and the execution terrible. Fires broke out throughout the town and drove the garrison within the shelter of the fort.

At this stage the remarkable character of the siege became manifest. Notwithstanding the splendid artillery practice of the besiegers, no actual impression could be made upon the massive mud walls.

Whatever damage was done by day was repaired by night. The garrison worked like moles, and now in absolute silence—save only when an assault was attempted.

They began to gather courage from the ineffectual bombardment. Their leaders went among them and exhorted them to fresh efforts. Their high priest came down and reminded them of an ancient prophecy.

There was an old legend that the walls of Bharatpur had been built by the gods themselves, who, admiring their handiwork, had decreed that the fortress could not be captured unless an alligator came across the sea to besiege it.

This was practically endorsing the fortress with perpetual invulnerability. The alligator was a fresh-water creature—they had many such beasts kept in pampered state in their sacred tanks—and they fed these beasts with choice morsels that they denied to their starving brethren, lest it angered the favorite of the gods.

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640 acres of land for sale in this bay at a remarkably low figure. This property has magnificent timber in it, and also is supposed to be coal land, as on either side of it are large coal showings. In addition to which, Hardy Bay will probably be the terminus of any railway to the Northern end of the Island. As a speculative investment this should be a good one, as the owners only are obliged to sell at a low figure, owing to unforeseen circumstances.

Pemberton & Son, 45 Fort St.

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, Oct. 9.—8 p.m.



SYNOPSIS.
The barometer has fallen steadily since the morning, although still remaining high on the Washington Coast and over the southern portion of the province. A low area of considerable energy is traversing the Northwest from the Rockies to Manitoba, its centre being at Prince Albert. The weather has been mostly fair and moderately warm both in the province and the Northwest, but much higher temperatures have occurred between the American Ranges and California. The rainfall has been confined to Southern British Columbia and the Western Coast of Washington. The indications are for unsettled weather.

TEMPERATURE.

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| Victoria | 45 | 56 |
| New Westminster | 46 | 52 |
| Kamloops | 48 | 50 |
| Min. Max. | | |
| Calgary | 38 | 60 |
| Winnipeg | 32 | 64 |
| Portland, Ore. | 48 | 72 |
| San Francisco | 58 | 84 |

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a.m.—(Pacific time) Wednesday:
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds; chiefly cloudy, with showers.
Lower Mainland: Light winds; cloudy, with rain.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
Report for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Observations taken daily at 5 a.m., noon and 6 p.m.

TUESDAY, Oct. 9.

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| 5 a.m. | 47 | Mean | 55 |
| Noon | 52 | Highest | 59 |
| 5 p.m. | 54 | Lowest | 45 |
| The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows: | | | |
| 5 a.m. | 8 miles southwest. | | |
| Noon | Calms. | | |
| 5 p.m. | Calms. | | |

Average state of weather—Showery.
Rain—0.4 inch.
Sunshine—18 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed.....30.070
Corrected.....30.080

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—Corrected.....30.06

CAPT. BLANCHARD'S DEATH.

Particulars Given in a Letter From Sergt. McHale.

LT. COL. Gregory has received the following letter in regard to the death of Capt. Blanchard:

Elsie Fahriskien,
S. B. C., August 29.
Dear Colonel—I thought I would drop you a few lines in regard to Lieut. Blanchard's death. I notice that in recent British Columbia papers the idea seems to be prevalent that Mr. Blanchard was attached to the Derbyshires. Such was not the case. I would have written you before, giving the particulars, but I have been so busy until to-day for the first time, Capt. Macdonald, of G company, having with his servant just rejoined the regiment after being a prisoner for several weeks. They were both at Roadvale, when Mr. Blanchard was wounded.

Mr. Blanchard was invalided back when the regiment reached Kownstaid, he having become generally "played out." But there was nothing seriously the matter with him. He went down as far as Blenheim, and was on his way back to rejoin the regiment when the attack was made by Dewet. He, with his servant, not as far as Roadvale, which at that time was "rail head," and found there details of different regiments waiting for an opportunity to get up country. Capt. Macdonald and a few Canadians being among the number, the latter having been detained for some two weeks. The Derbyshires were posted about three miles away at the bridge, and when the Boers attacked they advanced on the Derbyshires, and the details at the station simultaneously. The latter, under Col. Grant, of the Cornwallis, got behind some hastily made fortifications, composed of piles of clothing, etc., and held out for several hours, when they had to surrender. Mr. Blanchard was wounded by a sharp, wet shell in the left shoulder, arm, leg and heel, but appeared to be getting on nicely and was quite cheerful when Dewet took all those not wounded off after waiting. The Imperial Yeomanry hospital was also captured by Dewet, but he left that at Rhenoster river, and all the wounded were left with it. Mr. Blanchard subsequently succumbed to his wounds much to the surprise of those who fought with him, but no doubt the wound in the shoulder was of a more serious nature than was at first supposed.

All speak in the highest terms of the coolness and bravery displayed by the late Lieut. Blanchard at the above battle, but were who knew him were not surprised at that, as he had always been conspicuous for his pluck. We all deeply regret his death.

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First Prize Ore Exhibit

Rosslund Takes Leading Place at the Fair at Spokane.

A Splendid Display of Mineral Wealth of British Columbia.

From the Spokesman-Review.

The winner of the first prize for the best exhibit from one camp or district, and one of the most important and interesting ore displays in the mineral tent of the exposition (at the Spokane exhibition), is that from Rosslund. For the first time, the famous mines of this remarkable camp to the north are fully and well represented, and this is due to the personal efforts of W. L. Orde, A. G. White and Russell Hanauer.

The Rosslund exhibit is the first one on the right as the mineral tent is entered from Post street. Its particular feature is an exclusive display of ores from the British America Corporation's properties. This is the first time that an exhibit of the company's products has been made.

One of the important features of the exhibit is a series of specimens of the product from the Northport smelter, which has attracted no little attention. It includes the crude matter, which runs about \$800 in gold, \$18 in silver and \$181.50 in copper per ton. The slag, finely granulated by dripping when hot into water, is also shown. The various uses to which the slag or waste is put to illustrate by a large, solid brick of the material, used in building, and the granulated slag, used in road building and for other similar purposes.

The biggest specimen in the tent is one of Le Roi ore, which weighs 877 pounds. There are a number of other large specimens of the mines of the camp, giving a suggestion of the immensity and permanence of the ore bodies that was decidedly impressive. The B. A. C. properties represented by specimens are the Le Roi, No. 1 Josie, Nickel Plate and Columbia and Kootenay, from all of which come good-sized masses of the typical pyrite ore of the camp, with their conspicuous yellow sulphides of copper.

Nearly every important property in the camp is represented. There is ore from the Iron Mask, Centre Star, War Eagle, Evening Star, L. X. L., Gertrude, Home-stake, New Star, Elmo, Columbia, Cliff, Iron Bolt, Copper King, Victor, Giant, Green Mountain, Jumbo, White Bear, Grace, Eureka and Evening, Cascade and Mother Lode, in Burnt Basin.

This is a remarkably good showing from a single camp, and the solid and excellent appearance of the ore can each give some idea of the splendid condition of the Rosslund mines and the advanced stage of development to which they have attained. Nearly all of these properties are well known. Many of them have been exploited by Spokane men, and several are controlled from this city. Rosslund, however, has taken a position of independence and is itself an operating centre of importance. With the magnificent results being secured by the development of the big properties by outside capital, the city has grown to a position of wealth, and the development of much valuable ground, the great and elsewhere is directly due to the enterprise of Rosslund men.

Rosslund is a big shipper, and its output is growing monthly. Not a few of the properties represented are making regular shipments to the smelters, and others are undergoing very extensive development preparatory to commencing or resuming a big and steady output. The Le Roi pours a steady stream of ore to the smelters at the rate of 3,000 to 4,000 tons each week, and the No. 1 and Josie have commenced shipments and will bring the present 200 or 300 tons shipped weekly up to several times that amount when treatment facilities are available. The Nickel Plate and Columbia and Kootenay are preparing to commence a steady output in a few weeks.

Before long the War Eagle will again be sending out its big quota. It has been holding its fire until the mine could be put in condition to stop immense quantities of ore while new work could go on without interruption to stopping. The Giant has been making occasional small shipments, but work is chiefly development. Under the big working bond recently given on the mine a big plan of development is laid out for the next years, and with the completion of this it is probable that the property will be on a big shipping basis. Other properties have made shipments or are preparing to and still others are yet in the development stage, but there are a number of mining properties in the camp with remarkable promise.

There is only one specimen from the L. X. L. on O. K. mountain, but it is a magnificent one. It is about six inches each way. It is thickly blotched with pieces of free gold.

One of the features of the Rosslund exhibit is several hundred pounds of magnificent ore from the Volcanic and cat mountain, and its adjoining property, the "Example is Better Than Precept."

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Another striking part of the exhibit is the photographs. There are two excellent prints of the Le Roi mine and compressor, each 20 x 20 inches, which were made especially for the exhibit. There are also several smaller views of much interest.

The Rosslund exhibit has been well and artistically displayed. Hanging from the centre of the tent over the Rosslund department is a big British flag, which is balanced on the side, where the exhibits from points on this side of the international line are placed by an American flag. Draped behind the exhibit are the American and British flags and red, white and blue bunting is used freely and with good effect.

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